

3rd ID & Fort Stewart - Hunter Army Air Field

"Worth Fighting For!"

Independence Day Weekend Celebration



**Your guide to
July 4th
events, activities**

*This year's going to be even **bigger & better***

This is a celebration in your own backyard. Soldiers and Families are invited to this year's 3rd Infantry Division and Fort Stewart-Hunter Army Airfield "Worth fighting for!" Independence Day Weekend Celebration, July 2 - July 5.

Wake up to a "Worth Fighting For!" Golf Tourney, July 2 at Taylors Creek Golf Course starting at 9 a.m. for a \$20-per-person fee. Then enjoy pay-as-you-go carnival rides at Walker Field, noon to 10 p.m. Later, take part in a 50-gun salute to the nation on Cottrell field at 6 p.m.

Carnival rides are free July 3rd and 4th and Corkan Family Fun Center will be free from 10 a.m.

to 6 p.m., July 3, with laser tag, roller rink, climbing wall, miniature golf, pool, water spray park and water inflatables.

Also on the 3rd, enjoy a full day of Picnic in the Park across from Walker Field from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. with a petting zoo, DJ music, BMX bike show, frisbee dog show, GameStop, Games 2U, hot air balloon rides, comedy show and more.

Then, it's live entertainment, with Trace Adkins and Ashanti. The gates open at 5 p.m. with a GameStop Guitar Hero winners presentation at 6:15 p.m. and Ashanti taking the show at 7 p.m. Fireworks on Donovan Field or scheduled following the Adkins show.



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Some things are just worth fighting for, including our freedom, our homes, our Families, our way of life, each other, our children's future and especially our independence.

JULY 2ND EVENTS

"Worth Fighting For!" Golf Tourney

There will be a shotgun start for the "Worth Fighting For!" Independence Day Weekend Golf Tourney at Taylors Creek Golf Course, starting at 9 a.m. Fee is \$20 per person. (advance sign up required - call 767-2370)

Carnival

Pay-as-you-go rides and games on Walker Field will be open from noon to 10 p.m.

Salute to the Nation

Take part in a 50-gun salute to the nation at Cottrell Field, starting at 6 p.m.

JULY 3RD EVENTS

Picnic in the Park (reserve a spot at 767-9336)

Enjoy a day at the park across from Walker Field, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. with a petting zoo, DJ music, BMX bike show, frisbee dog show, GameStop, Games 2U, hot air balloon rides and comedy show. **See page 6**

Corkan Family Fun

All Corkan facilities will operate FREE, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m., including laser tag, roller rink, climbing wall, miniature golf, pool, water spray park, water inflatables and more. **See page 6**

Carnival

FREE rides and games on Walker Field from noon to 10 p.m.

Concert

Enjoy the sounds of Ashanti at 7 p.m. then Trace Adkins at 8:30 p.m. Food vendors will operate from 3 p.m. to 6 p.m. **See pages 4 & 7**



Trace Adkins



Ashanti

Fireworks

After the concert, watch the spectacular fireworks display on Donovan Field, starting at 10 p.m. **See page 7**

JULY 4TH EVENTS

Carnival

FREE rides and games on Walker Field from noon to 10 p.m.

JULY 5TH EVENTS

Carnival

Pay-as-you-go rides and games on Walker Field will be available from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m.

*Trolleys available to all event locations on July 3rd - **See page 5***

**Show
starts 7
p.m.**

Ashanti

With hitmaker Irv Gotti at the helm, Ashanti blasted into the urban music scene in 2002, topping the charts with multiple singles at once. She quickly became a sensation, gracing the covers of magazines and dominating urban radio. Ashanti built her reputation with duets, where she would complement an already popular rapper — Ja Rule ("Always on Time"), Fat Joe ("What's Luv?"), the Notorious B.I.G. ("Unfoolish") — contrasting the tough-guy male perspective with her own.

It didn't take the young vocalist long to make a name for herself though: her debut album topped the Billboard album chart just as her debut solo single, "Foolish," was topping the Hot 100 chart. Her presence was inescapable.

Ashanti's overnight jump to superstardom followed that of Ja Rule, a similar urban music sensation

helmed by Gotti. The New York producer took notice of Ashanti initially because of her beauty, dancing, and acting.

She trained as a dancer at the Bernice Johnson Cultural Arts Center, learning a number of dance styles. She danced most notably in Disney's *Polly*, which starred Phylicia Rashad, and also appeared in a number of big-name music videos, in addition to other dance work.

As an actress, she made a name for herself with roles in Spike Lee's *Malcolm X* and *Who's da Man* before that. The multi-talented vocalist was causing quite a stir, and Gotti did what he could to bring her into his Murder Inc. fold. After showcasing her swooning voice on Big Pun's "How We Roll" and the *Fast and Furious* soundtrack — both in 2001 — Gotti put Ashanti to work on her debut album.



**Show
starts 8:30
p.m.**

Trace Adkins

Since he showed up in the country music world in 1996, Trace Adkins has been a relatively quiet but absolutely undeniable force in country music. At times his career has seemed to be almost under the radar. But with strong, memorable foundational hits plus subsequent #1 singles like 2006's "Ladies Love Country Boys" and 2007's "You're Gonna Miss This," Adkins, with minimal fanfare but a considerable range of triple-strength music, has evolved into a bona fide country music superstar.

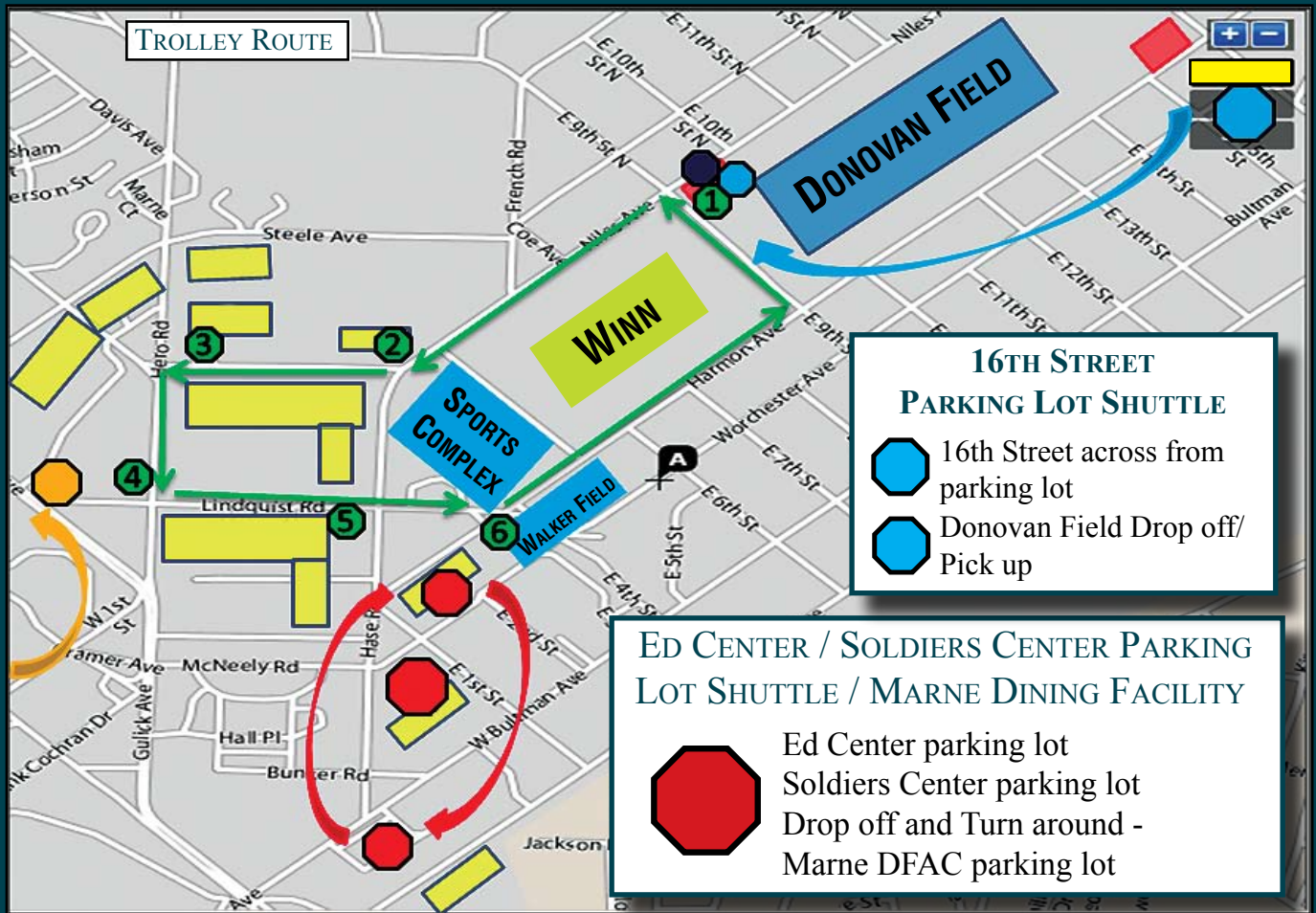
Speaking of his fans, Adkins says there are "Badonkadonk people" and then there are "'Every Light in the House' people." The first group, named for Adkins' 2005 monster hit "Honky Tonk Badonkadonk," respond

most readily to his songs that are big, bold, witty, fun -- the kind of high-impact, scrupulously well done productions that immediately, within their opening bars, announce themselves as modern country music extravaganzas.

The second group are more likely to rally around Adkins' first top-five hit, from 'Dreamin' Out Loud', his platinum-selling 1996 Capitol Nashville debut. These people love the way a song can more deliberately present itself over the course of three-and-a-half intense minutes soaked in the stylistic verities of country music traditions. But Badonkadonk people and Every Light people usually get along fine. With his commanding voice singing everything into a compelling whole, Adkins has no trouble seeing to that.



Trolley Route & Parking



SINGLE SOLDIER SHUTTLE LOCATIONS

Next to buildings :
647, 811, 723, 522 and
barracks across from
CIF on Essayons



Drop off Gulick
Ave. next to Corkan
Swimming Pool.

HUNTER ARMY AIRFIELD SHUTTLE DEPARTS HUNTER CLUB EVERY HOUR



Donovan Field Drop Off/Pick-up

EVENT PARKING LOCATIONS

TROLLEY ROUTE

1. Donovan Field Drop off/Pick-up
2. Next to Marne Lanes
3. Next to Club Stewart Parking Lot off Steel Avenue
4. Corkan Family Rec Area at Hero Road and Lindquist Avenue
5. Across from Hawks Clinic off Lindquist Avenue
6. Carnival on Walker Field at Lindquist and Harmon Avenues

July 3

Corkan Recreation Area

10 a.m. - 6 p.m.

Legend

Water Inflatables



Laser Tag



Bowling



Water Spray Park



Roller Rink



Climbing Wall



Miniature Golf



Pool



Schedule

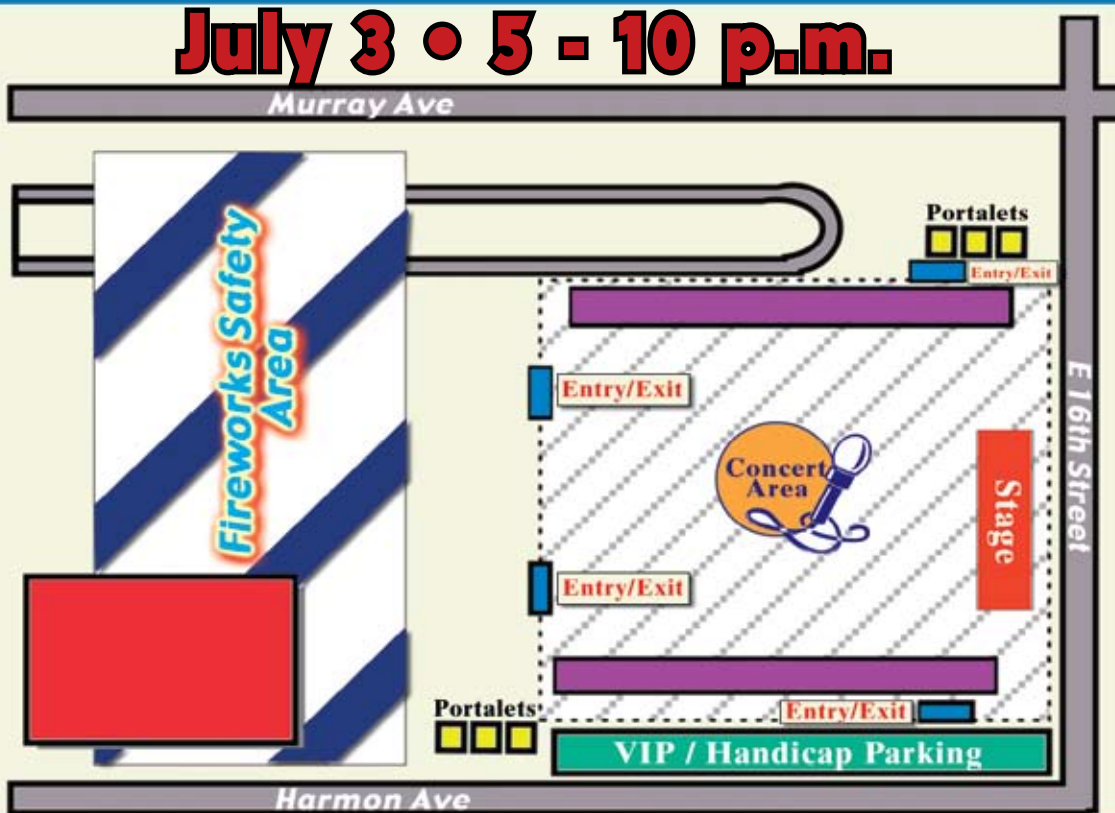
- 10 a.m. - 2 p.m. - Petting Zoo
- 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. - DJ Music
- 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. - Hot Air Balloon
- 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. - Kids Games
- 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. - GameStop Contest
- 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. - Games 2U
- 10 a.m. - BMX Stunt Show
- 11 a.m. - Frisbee Dog Show
- 11 a.m. - Comedy Show
- 12 p.m. - BMX Stunt Show
- 1 p.m. - Comedy Show
- 2 p.m. - Frisbee Dog Show
- 3 p.m. - BMX Stunt Show



July 3 10 a.m. - 4 p.m.

Picnic in the Park

Event Maps

Donovan Field - West**July 3 • 5 - 10 p.m.****July 3 • 5 - 10 p.m.****Donovan Field - East**

Most frequently asked transportation questions

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Where can I find transportation to events?

Check page 5 of this insert for Trolley Route & Parking. Also, read on - your answers are more than likely right here - just find your questions below.

Where can I park?

Parking is available at the Newman Fitness Center, Club Stewart, Marne Lanes, Marne Dining Facility/Mower Center, the Soldier Service Center, the Commissary and PX, and Education Center (off post), and a designated area along 16th Street in the National Guard area (accessible through Gate 3).

Individuals who do not possess an on-post decal may park in the Education Center parking lot and enter post through the pedestrian gate. DES will check ID cards at that location. Shuttle bus service will be provided from the pedestrian entry point to the event area near the carnival.

Can I park at Donovan Field?

No, due to scheduled events, parking will not be permitted on or in the vicinity of Donovan Field and the National Guard Training Area. The only exception is the designated area along 16th Street.

What streets will be closed?

The streets and roads around Donovan Field will be closed.

Harmon Avenue will be closed to Lindquist Avenue.

Lindquist Avenue will be closed from Hero Road to Gulick Avenue.

Once I am parked, what happens?

Shuttle bus service will be provided from the parking areas located at the Education Center pedestrian entrance, the Soldier Service Center and the designated 16th Street parking area to the Trolley Route. These Shuttles will begin at 9 a.m. and will run until 10 p.m.

Other identified parking areas are located within walking distance of the Trolley Route and events. Trolley transportation will run continuously to all events from Walker Field, Donovan Field, Newman and Corkan Gym areas.

What route will the trolley follow?

The Trolley will travel and stop along Lindquist Avenue, Harmon Avenue, East 9th Street, Niles Avenue, Steele Avenue and along Hero Road to Lindquist.

I am a single Soldier...

Shuttle bus service will be provided from the following troop areas: Buildings 647, 811, 723, 522 and the parking area across from CIF at Essayons and 6th Street. The shuttle will travel to Gulick Avenue next to the Corkan swimming pool area to link with the Trolley stop. Shuttles will begin at 9 a.m. and will run until completion of the Fireworks.

Can I catch a ride from Hunter?

Yes, buses will leave the Hunter Club every hour starting at 9 a.m. and will drop individuals off at the Donovan Field Trolley stop (Gravel area on the corner of 9th Street & Niles Avenue). The return buses to the Hunter Club will pick-up individuals at this same stop on Donovan Field. The last Shuttle from Hunter Club to Fort Stewart will be 8 p.m. The last Shuttles from Fort Stewart to Hunter Club will depart the Donovan Field Trolley Stop after the Fireworks display.

How much time should I allow for shuttles, trolleys on Fort Stewart?

Transportation will run every 15 to 30 minutes.

I have special physical challenges...

Accommodations will be made for individuals with physical challenges. Transportation will be provided from the designated parking area on 16th Street near Donovan Field, along the Trolley route, and from the Pedestrian Entrance near the Education Center parking area. This transportation will be clearly marked.

I am not familiar with Fort Stewart...

Event maps will be available on the Shuttle buses. Additionally, the Fort Stewart Transportation Division will have knowledgeable personnel available at each stop to assist you. Each bus stop will be clearly designated and signs will be placed in various areas to direct you and help you find your way.

Where do I catch the shuttles after the fireworks to return to the parking areas?

Shuttle buses will be lined up on both sides of Donovan Field to transport individuals and will be making stops at all identified parking areas.

Buses transporting Soldiers back to the Troop Areas will be marked "Troop Area Shuttle".

Buses transporting individuals back to Hunter Club will also be clearly marked "Hunter Club Shuttle" and as previously stated, will be departing from the gravel area on the corner of 9th Street and Niles Avenue.